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Title: FILM THICKNESS MEASUREMENT USING ELECTRON-BEAM INDUCED

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	Claims After Amendment		Highest Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity Rate Fee	Large Entity Rate Fee
Total Claims	28	MINUS	30	00	x9 ==	x 18 = 0.00
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Please charge the required fees, or any additional fees required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, to Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. KLA1P012).

Respectfully submitted,

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<u>AMENDMENT G</u>

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment G is in response to the Final Office Action dated March 19, 2004, a response to which is due on June 19, 2004.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.